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RE: Application Serial No.: 10/505,456  
Applicants: Pierre MATZ, et al.  
Filing Date: September 2, 2004  
For: ASSEMBLY METHOD AND A PLASTIC  
COMPOSITE TUBE  
Group Art Unit: 1733  
Examiner: Jeff H. AFTERGUT

SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

**Reply**  
**Certified English Translation of French Priority Document**  
**Letter to Perfect Priority**

No fee is believed to be due. In the event any fees are due for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time.

Respectfully submitted,

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